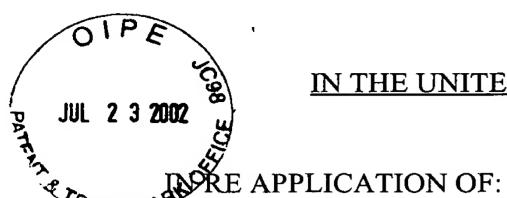
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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action dated June 3, 2002, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group III, Claims 1-21 (in part), drawn to compounds of formula (I) with  $R_1$  as  $C_{1-8}$ alkyl;  $(CH_2)_n$ -Phenyl- $Y_1$ ;  $(CH_2)_n$ -pyridyl- $Y_1$ , and  $R_6$  as a group selecting from (a)-(w), and (cc)-(bbb); their pharmaceutical compositions and methods of use, for further prosecution.

In addition, Applicant file herewith, an amendment to the claims.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following claim.

22. (New) The kappa opiod receptor antagonist according to Claim 7, having the chemical formula:

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